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| For: | IMAGE DECODER, IMAGE ENCODER, IMAGE COMMUNICATION SYSTEM, AND ENCODED BIT STREAM CONVERTER | | |

LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

December 10, 2002

Sir:

Attached hereto are seventeen (17) sheets of corrected Formal Drawings. Please substitute these corrected drawings for the corresponding seventeen (17) sheets of drawings on file in the above-identified application.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fee

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required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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